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PREFACE

This bibliography was compiled from a number of sources with the objective of providing access to the majority of published materials on white sturgeon (Acipenser transmontanus). I checked citations with original sources whenever they were available **however**, because I wanted to provide as complete a bibliography as possible, I included many citations to materials that were not available to me. In some cases, only partial references could be obtained. I also included several unpublished works.

While my focus was on white sturgeon, many references to papers describing other sturgeon species came to my attention. These were included, however, no attempt was made to provide a comprehensive survey of literature on species other than A. transmontanus.

Many of the citations include notations describing the content of the publication. I intended thereby to help researchers select materials for more detailed review, not to provide a complete summary of the contents of each paper.

The Bonneville Power Administration sponsored development of the bibliography as a tool to assist in planning and implementing research on white sturgeon in the Columbia River system as a basis for planning actions to mitigate for effects of hydroelectric development, enhance the fishery, and protect the species.

Communications from users of this bibliography are welcome, particularly with regard to corrections or additions to the white sturgeon literature.

I want to acknowledge E. Dave Lane and Steven Vigg who each made drafts of their bibliographies available to me. Members of the BPA White Sturgeon Steering Committee provided helpful comments on an early draft and helped locate agency reports. Don Klopfer assisted in compiling original reference materials.

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Portland, Oregon

Afonich, R. V. 1970. The feeding habits of starred sturgeon larvae at the early stages of development at hatcheries. Vses. Nauchno-Issled. Inst. Morsk. Rybn. Khozy. Okeanograf., Tr., **74:58-81** [in Russian].

Aitken, D. 1981. Interim report on white sturgeon (**Acipenser transmontanus**) studies in the Nechako River. British Columbia Fish and Wildlife Branch (Omineca Peace Region), Prince George, British Columbia. [Manuscript report]

Andrusak, H. Undated. Kootenay River white sturgeon. Brit. Columbia Fish and Wildl. Branch. Mimeo rept.

Andrusak, H. 1980. Kootenay River white sturgeon. B. C. Fish and Wildlife Branch. [mimeo rept]

In the 32 km reach of the Kootenay River in BC, 40-76 sturgeon sport fishing permits were issued in 1974-1980, with annual catches of 5-18. Population is estimated at 3000-5000. Very few fish under 100 cm were observed.

Anon. Undated. White sturgeon intensive rearing husbandry table. Univ. Calif. Davis, 3p. [mimeo report]

Anon. 1940. Sturgeon. **Calif. Conservationist 5(5):20.**

History of fishery and depletion, effect of Chinese set line operations, carp and striped bass introduction. Migration, spawning, predation.

Anon. 1940. Sturgeon on the increase. **Outdoor California 1(8):1.** [Press Release]

Reported observation of sturgeon in Klamath River.

Anon. 1954. Getting the facts on the sturgeon. **Outdoor California 15(11):9.**

Announcing tagging program in Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. Food said to include shrimp and small clams.

Anon. 1954. New season on the biggest fish of them all tempts California anglers. **Outdoor California 15(4):1,6.**

Sport fishing for sturgeon reopening in California after 35 year closure due to stock depletion from overfishing. Commercial catch peaked in 1880's at 700,000 lbs.

Anon. 1955. Idaho Sturgeon. **Idaho Wildl. Rev.** Jan-Feb. p. 15.

Letter to editor and response outlining sturgeon sport fishing regulations.

Anon. 1955. Tagged sturgeon recovered. **Comm. Fish Rev. 17(10):48.**

Report of recapture near Astoria of sturgeon tagged in San Pablo Bay.

Anon. 1977. Dams bring change for white sturgeon. **Focus 4(1):4.**

Anon. 1979. The development of technology for a prototype sturgeon hatchery. Univ. Calif. Davis [Manuscript] 36pp.

Anon. 1979. U. S. workers induce spawning in sturgeon. Fish Farming International **6(3):3**.

Spawning induced in Atlantic sturgeon.

Applegate, V. 1971. The white sturgeon-a case for regulation. Mont. Fish and Game Field Stn., Libby, MT, [mimeo], 8pp.

Aquaculture Digest Reviews of white sturgeon work. [Most issues from 1980 to present.]

Avedikova, T. M. 1980. Some growth patterns among sturgeons (Acipenseridae family) of the Sea of Azov.

Ayres, W. 1854. Description of new fishes from California. Proc. Cal. Acad. Sci. 1854-57 (1857) 1:3-22.

Includes descriptions of Acipenser acutirostris Ayres, s.n.; A. medirostris Ayres s.n.; A. brachyrhynchus Ayres s.n. on pp. 14-16.

Badenko, L. V., G. G. Komiyenko, V. P. Chikhacheva, and L. A. Altukhova 1981. Methods for evaluating the quality of sturgeon spawners (as exemplified in the sevryuga, Acipenser stellatus) from the Kuban River. J. of Ichthyology 31 (1):96-103.

Use of blood parameters to estimate maturity and plan induction of ovulation with pituitary.

Bailey, E. D. 1954. Sacramento-San Joaquin salmon and steelhead study. California Dept. of Fish and Game, Quarterly Progress Report, Sacramento, California 8pp.

Bajkov, A. D. 1949. A preliminary report on the Columbia River sturgeon. Fish. Comm. Oreg. Res. Briefs **2(2):3-10**.

Review of available information, describes tagging and tag loss, lays out proposed research program, proposes management approach that includes protection of spawners, establishing reserve areas, and artificial propagation.

Bajkov, A. D. 1951. Columbia River sturgeon fingerlings. Fisheries Commission of Oregon, Portland, Oregon. [Memorandum]

Bajkov, A. D. 1951. Migration of white sturgeon (Acipenser transmontanus) in the Columbia River. Fish. Comm. Oreg. Res. Briefs **3(2):8-21**.

Extensive Peterson disk tagging program. Disk most effective in upper lobe of caudal fin. Recaptures indicate upstream migration of immature fish in fall, downstream in winter and spring. Movement likely in response to food. Bonneville Dam apparently blocks movement, both up- and down-stream. Sturgeon concentrate in deep holes in winter and move to shallow water in spring.

Bajkov, A. D. 1951. Summary of sturgeon investigations. Fisheries Commision of Oregon, Portland, Oregon. [Memorandum]

Bajkov, A. D. 1951. The Columbia River sturgeon fingerlings. Oreg. Fish Comm, Dept of Res. [mimeo rept].

Spawning area assumed to be from Bonneville Dam to 2mi below Beacon Rock. Reports ripe females and males both taken at Beacon Rock and juveniles caught at Bonneville Dam and near Beacon Rock. Seining and fyke nets failed to catch juveniles in the area. Additional trials suggested with a small 1/4-mesh beam-trawl.

Bajkov, A. D. 1955. White sturgeon with seven rows of scutes. Calif. Fish. and Game 41(4):347-348.

Report of about 25 sturgeon (0.3% of sample) with seven instead of the usual five rows of scutes.

Barannikova, I. A. 1949. Concentration of gonadotropic hormone in the pitutary of male and female sturgeons at different stages of the sex cycle. Dokl. AN SSSR 68(6):147-150.

Barannikova, I. A. 1957. Biological differentiation of the Volga-Caspian sturgeon population in relation to the comercial sturgeon culture in the Volga Delta. Uch. zap. Leningr. gos. un-ta 228(44):57-72.

Barannikova, I. A. 1975. Functional Basis of Fish Migration [in Russian]. Nauka Press, Leningrad, p. 210.

Barannikova, I. A. 1975. Pituitary-ovarial relationship in sturgeon during normal and distrubed sex cycles. Tr. Vsesoyuz. n.-i. in-ta morsk. rybn. khozva i okeanogr. 111:86-97.

Barannikova, I. A. 1978. Hormonal regulation of reproduction in sturgeon. Tr. Vsesoyuz. n.-i. in-ta morsk. rybn. khozva i okeanogr. 130:6-17.

Barannikova, I. A. 1979. Present status and future problems of sturgeon farming. In: Biological Basis of Developing Sturgeon Farming in the Waterbodies of the USSR [in Russian]. (Nauka Press, Moscow) pp. 49-59.

Barannikova, I. A., O. S. Bukovskaya, and N. A. Efimova. 1984. Gonadotropin dynamics and conditions of the pituitary gonadotropocytes of sturgeon, Acipenser gueldenstaedti, with different conditions of the sex glands during the riverine period of life. J. of Ichthyology 24(6):59-66. [Originally published in Voprosy Ikhtiologii 5(1984):822-828].

Differences found in pituitary gonadotropocytes and gonadotropic hormones in pituitary gland and blood serum during different periods.

Barannikova, I. A., and N. A. Efimova. 1981. Study of the pituitary gonadotropocytes of female sturgeons at different stages of the sex cycle. In: Rational Basis of Sturgeon Farming [in Russian]. (Volgograd) pp. 23-24.

Barrett, S. A., and E. W. Gifford. 1933. Miwok Material Culture. Bull. Public Mus. Milwaukee **2:117-403**.

Sturgeon fishery by plains miwok natives. p. 189.

Bartley, D. M., and G. A. E. Gall. 1983. The genetic structure of white sturgeon populations in the Pacific Northwest. Abstr. AFS 113th Ann. Meeting, Milwaukee, Wisc., Aug. 16-20, 1983. p.101.

Development of electrophoretic technique for study of isozymes with objective of determining degree of genetic differentiation.

Becker, C. D. 1970. Marine trematode Tubulovesicula lindbergi (Digena: Hemiuridae) from resident white sturgeon in the Columbia River. J. Fish. Res. Bd. Can. **27(7):1313-1316**.

New host record. Postulates that the trematode was transported upstream in an anadromous teleost which was subsequently eaten by the sturgeon.

Becker, C. D. 1971. Cestrahelminx rivularis sp. n. (Digenea: **Deropristiidae**) from white sturgeon, Acipenser transmontanus, in the Columbia River, Washington. Helm. Soc. Wash. **38(1):23-26**.

Description of species infecting mid-Columbia sturgeon.

Becker, C. D. 1980. Hematozoa from resident and anadromous fishes of the central Columbia River: A survey. Can. J. Zool. **58(3):356-362**.

10-yr survey of haematozoa in fish of central Columbia River. First record of Trypanoplasma salmositica in white sturgeon.

Beer, K. E. 1981. Embryonic and Larval Development of the White Sturgeon (Acipenser transmontanus). **M. S. Thesis, U C Davis. 93pp.**

Embryonic stages described, many photographs, post-hatch larval behavior is described.

Beer, K. 1982. [Report on 1982 sturgeon rearing activities.] Correspondance, Ken Beer to Aquaculture Digest, December 6, 1982.

Hatched 650,000 larvae. Found dry trout diets were readily accepted. Tank (raceway) culture more effective than pond culture.

Beer, K. E. 1983. Commercial feasibility of white sturgeon culture. Abstr. AFS 113th Annual Meeting, Milwaukee, Wisc., Aug **16-20, 1983, p. 103**.

Description of pilot scale commercial hatcheries and state regulations.

Beer, K. E., and **S. I. Doroshov**. 1984. Embryonic and larval development of white sturgeon, Acipenser transmontanus. Ms. U. C. Davis.

Bell, M. C. 1973. Fisheries handbook of engineering requirements and biological criteria. Fish. Eng. Res. Prog. Corps of Engineers, N. Pac. Div., Portland, OR

Benfield, P. A., B. G. Forcina, I. Gibbons, and R. N. Perham. 1979. Extended amino-acid sequences around the active site lysine residue of class-I fructose 1,6-bisphosphate aldolases from rabbit muscle, sturgeon muscle, trout muscle, and ox liver. Biochem. J. **183(2):429-444.**

Amino acid sequences described indicate strong homology.

Bennett, D. E. 1980. Lower Willamette River steelhead, white sturgeon and shad fisheries. Progress Report, Feb-June 1980, Oregon Dept. of Fish and Wildlife, Corvallis, Oregon, 9pp.

Berg, L. S. 1948. Freshwater fishes in the U.S.S.R. and adjacent countries. Vol. I, 4th ed. Transl. Israel Programs for Scientific Translations, Jerusalem, 1962. U.S. Dept. of Comm., Off. Tech. Serv., OTS 61-31218, pp. 52-105. [Akademiya Nauk SSSR Zoologicheskii Institut]

Keys, distribution, descriptions, and life history reviews for Eurasian sturgeons.

Bohn, B. **R.**, and D. O. McIsaac. 1983. Columbia River fish runs and fisheries **1960-1981**. Oregon Dept. Fish Wild. and Wash. Dept. Fish., 83pp.

Bohn, B. **R.**, and D. O. McIsaac. 1984. Columbia River fish runs and fisheries. 1960-1983. Ore. Dept. Fish. Wild. and Wash. Dept. Fish.

Borisov, V. **N.** 1969. Contamination with **clostridium-botulinum** type **E** of low-grade fish and the meat of white sturgeon. Giaienia i Sanitarria **34(12):87-89.** [Russian]

Bosley, C. E. 1979. Intensive monitoring--Columbia River. U. S. Fish and **Wildlife** Service, Fisheries Assistance Office, **Marrowstone** Field Station, Nordland, Washington.

Bosley, C. **E.**, and G. F. **Gately**. 1981. **Polychlorinated** biphenyls and chlorinated pesticides in Columbia River white **sturgeon** (**Acipenser transmontanus**). U. S. Fish and Wildlife Serv., **Marrowstone** Field Station, Fish. Assistance **Office**, Nordland, Washington. Nov. 1981. **30pp.**

PCB's and DDE found in most filet samples taken from Astoria to **Lk. Wallula**. The FDA action level for **PCB's** (5 ppm) was exceeded in one filet (5.3 ppm). Levels showed positive **correllation** with lipid content and with age. Levels of **PCB's** in one egg sample (1.45 ppm) were possibly high enough to cause some mortality if toxic level is similar to that for salmon eggs.

Botsford, L. **W.** and **R. C.** Hobbs. 1984. Optimal fishery policy with artificial enhancement through stocking: **California's** white sturgeon as an example. **Ecol. Modeling** **23(4):293-312.**

Economic model developed to help set stocking and fishery policy. Different cases of recruitment/stocking **are** considered. Model is sensitive to poorly known parameters.

Boyko, Ye. G., and V. **I.** Naumova. 1960. Breeding conditions of sturgeons in the Don after flow regulation. **Tr. Azov Fisheries Research Institute** **1(1):259-287.**

Brannon, E. L. 1980. Proposal to establish a prototype sturgeon hatchery on the Columbia River. University of Washington, College of Fisheries, Seattle, Washington, **12pp.** [**Manuscript** report]

Brannon, E. L., C. L. **Melby**, and S. D. Brewer. 1984. Columbia River white sturgeon (**Acipenser transmontanus**) **enhancement**. University of Washington, Final Report to Bonneville Power **Administration**, Proj. No. 83-316. **43pp.**

Sturgeon were successfully spawned and incubated, studies were undertaken to examine distribution behavior of larvae and fry, **tolerance** of young sturgeon to saltwater, and feeding behavior of larvae and fry.

Brennan, J. S. 1984. Techniques for ageing sturgeon: a comparative analysis. **Am. Zool.** **24(3):26** (Abstract) Presented at Annual Meeting, American Society of Zoologists, December **27-30**, 1984, Denver, Colorado.

Comparison of methods of counting **annuli** in bony structures including **otoliths**, **scutes**, **opercles**, **cleithra**, and fin ray sections.

Brice, J. J. 1898. A manual of fish culture based on the methods of the United States Commission of Fish and Fisheries. **Rept. U. S. Comm. Fish.** 1897 (1898) Part 23, Append. **C:1-340.**

Brown, C. J. D. 1971. **Fishes of Montana**. Big Sky Books, **Bozeman**, Montana, 207 pp.

Brunson, **R. B.**, and D. **G.** Block. 1957. The first report of the white sturgeon from Flathead Lake, Montana. **Proc. Montana Acad. Sci.** **17:61-62.**

A ripe male sturgeon, 27 **yrs** old, 2.3 **m** TL, and 181 **lbs** is described.

Buddington, **R. K.** 1983. Digestion and feeding of the white sturgeon, **Acipenser transmontanus**. Univ. **Calif.** Davis, Ph. D. Dissertation, 151 pp. Diss Abs. **44(10-B):2981.**

Embryology and enzymology of digestive canal is described. Manufactured diets found sufficient for rearing in hatchery, with good survival and growth. Feeding **attractants** and alternative or additional binders added to commercial salmonid diets did not influence survival or growth rates.

Buddington, R. K. 1983. Digestive physiology of the white sturgeon, **Acipenser transmontanus** Abstr. AFS 113th Annual Meeting, Milwaukee, **Wisc.**, Aug. 16-20, 1983, p. 100.

Digestive enzymology described for juvenile sturgeon (up to 80 days posthatch).

Buddington, R. K. 1985. Digestive secretions of lake sturgeon, **Acipenser fulvescens**, during early development. **J. Fish Biol.** **26**:715-723.

Description of enzymology during development. Changes in digestive enzymes were age-related, perhaps due to different feeding **habits** and nutritional requirements, and were not induced by diet.

Buddington, R. K., and S. I. Doroshov. 1982. Early growth of white sturgeon (**Acipenser transmontanus**) fed manufactured foods. Presented at World **Mariculture** Society Annual Meeting, Charleston, South Carolina.

Sturgeon fed semi-moist artificial diet from initiation of feeding throughout the **growout** period showed slower initial growth, but reached larger size than fish fed live feed or live feed initially followed by semi-moist feed. Dry **commercial** diets were not accepted. Recommended feeding regime is to start with semi-moist diet 10 days post hatch (at 20 °C), with particle size of 1.0 to 1.5 mm. **12-15%** body weight per day, in **12-15** feedings. **Yielded** specific growth rate of 8.2% per day and a conversion ratio of 2.7 **g** food per **g** fish produced during first 14 days of feeding.

Buddington, R. K., and S. I. Doroshov. 1984. Feeding trials with hatchery produced white sturgeon juveniles (**Acipenser transmontanus**). **Aquaculture** **36(3)**:237-243.

Semi-moist commercial feed produced lower growth, but similar survival to live feed for first 40 days, and avoided mortality associated with later change from commercial diet to live food. **Dry** diets were not well accepted, resulting in lower rates of growth and survival.

Bukovskaya, O. S. 1981. **Radioimmunological** estimation of gonadotropin and sex **hormone** content in the **blood** serum of **sevruga** at some stages of cell cycle. **In**: Rational Basis of Sturgeon Farming [in Russian]. (Volgograd) pp. **31-32**.

Burggren, W. W. 1978. Gill ventilation in the sturgeon, **Acipenser transmontanus**: unusual adaptations for bottom dwelling. **Respiration Physiology** **34(2)**:153-170.

Details of physiology of gill ventilation. Found to draw water in through opercular slits when mouth is blocked as in bottom feeding.

Burggren, W. W., J. Dunn, and K. Barnard. 1979. **Branchial** circulation and gill **morphometrics** in the sturgeon **Acipenser transmontanus**, an ancient Chondrosteian fish. **Can. J. Zool.** **57(11)**:2160-2170.

Gill area is low compared to other fishes, reflecting low activity rate. Details on gill area and function.

Burggren, W. W., and D. J. Randall. 1978. Oxygen uptake and transport during hypoxic exposure in the sturgeon Acipenser transmontanus. Resp. Physiol. 34(2):171-183.

Shown to be an oxygen conformer, with reduction in metabolic rate under hypoxia.

Bychowsky and Dubinina. 1954. Zool. Zhur. 33:788-793.

Caballero. 1952. Rev. Med. Vet. Parasit. 11: 1-231.

Cable, R. M. 1950. An Acanthocolpid trematode from the sturgeon of the Wabash River. Presented at 25th Annual Meeting, American Society of Parasitologists, Cleveland, Ohio, December 27-29, 1950. [Abstr. published in J. Parasitology 36(6):27.]

Description of a new genus and species, found in numbers in spiral valve of sturgeon.

Cable, R. M. 1952. On the systematic position of the genus Deropristis, of Dihemistephanus sturionis Little, 1930, and of a new digenetic trematode from a sturgeon. Parasitology 42:85-91.

Description of Pristotrema manteri n. g., n. sp. from shovelnose sturgeon (Scaphirhynchus platorhynchus (Raf.).

Cable, R. M. 1955. Taxonomy of some digenetic trematodes from sturgeons. J. Parasit. 41(4):441.

Discussion of taxonomy of trematodes commonly found in sturgeon representing at least 3 genera. Several references.

Cable, R. M., and A. V. Hunninen. 1942. Studies on Deropristis inflata (Molin), its life history and affinities to trematodes of the family Acanthocolpidae. Biol. Bull. 82: 292-312.

Calif. Fish and Game Commission. 1982. [Renewal of permits for sturgeon culture for 1983] Minutes, Calif. Fish and Game Commission, Item 14, p. 57, November 1982.

Five permittees reported on 1982 results and plans for 1983. All five permits were renewed. The Fishery (Ken Beer, The Fishery, Star Rt B, Cascade Locks, OR 97014), White Water Sturgeon (Ron Lipton, White Water Sturgeon, Inc., 1438 51st St., Sacramento, CA 95819), Arrowhead Fisheries, Inc. (Keith Brown), Calaveras Trout Farm (Ed Murrison), and California Sunshine, Inc. (Mats Engstrom. Calif. Sunshine, Inc., 1217 C Street, Sacramento, CA 95814)

Callman, J. L. 1983. Studies on the gastrointestinal microflora of hatchery reared white sturgeon, Acipenser transmontanus. MS Thesis. Univ. of Calif., Davis.

Callman, J. L., and J. M. Macy. 1984. The predominant **anaerobe** from the spiral intestine of hatchery-raised sturgeon (**Acipenser transmontanus**), a new **Bacteroides** species. Arch. Microbiol. **140(1):57-65.**

This new sp appears to **be** important to sturgeon nutrition and physiology. **It** forms succinate, propionate, acetate, and hydrogen, and is able to synthesize vitamin K. Swim bladder gas was shown to be hydrogen, and this organism may be the **source.**

Campbell, K. P., S. R. Johnson, K. U. Wolniakowski. 1982. A pilot study of potential phenolic contamination of fishes in the Columbia River and tributaries in the vicinity of Mount St. Helens. **Rept.** to Office of Water Research and Technology, Beak Consultants, Portland, OR. **W83-01354 OWRT-C-10072-V(1462)1. 32pp.**

A single white sturgeon, FL **86cm**, collected in the Columbia River near **Mayger**, OR on **9/16/81**, had phenol concentration in flesh of **56 ng/g**. This was the highest concentration reported among several species of fish. Pentachlorophenol was not detected in this sample. 9 other white sturgeon collected between **Sept** 1981 and Mar 1982 from the Columbia River had non-detectable levels of phenol. Source of phenol was assumed to be industrial (including an industrial fire involving phenol at Kalama, or natural, including decaying logs in Spirit Lake following eruption of Mt. St. Helens.

Carl, G. C., W. A. Clemens, and C. C. Lindsey. 1967. The freshwater fishes of British Columbia. British Columbia Prov. **Mus.**, Handbook No. 5, 192 pp.

Carlander, K. D. 1969. Handbook of Freshwater Fishery Biology, **Vol** 1. Iowa **State Univ.** Press, Ames 752 pp.

Carter, E. N. **1904**. Notes on sturgeon culture in Vermont. Trans. Am. Fish. Soc. **33:60-75.**

Notes on spawning of lake sturgeon and on artificial propagation.

Cech, J. J., Jr. 1981. Comparative growth and respiration of juvenile white sturgeon and striped bass. Estuaries **4(3):254** [Abstract] See **Cech**, et al, 1984.

Cech, J. J., Jr., S. J. Mitchell, and T. E. Wragg. 1984. Comparative growth of juvenile white sturgeon and striped bass: effects of temperature and hypoxia. Estuaries **7(1):12-18.**

Sturgeon growth greater at 20 than 15 but not greater at 25 °C. Activity increased with temperature regardless of hypoxia except that activity at 20 and 25 °C was not different under hypoxia. Hypoxia reduced growth rate at each temperature.

Chacko, A. J., and T. C. Coley. 1984. **Histopathology** of Cystoopsis **acipenseri** (Nematoda: Cystoosidae): Infection in white sturgeon **Acipenser transmontanus**. Program and Abstracts, 59th Annual Meeting, American Society of **Parasitologists**, Snowbird, Utah, August 1984. **p. 45.**

Chadwick, H. K. 1959. California sturgeon tagging studies. Calif. Fish Game 45(4):297-301.

Tagging study to estimate fishing mortality. Used Peterson and spaghetti tags (single and double-tagged). Tag losses shown to be similar and low. Insufficient returns to estimate mortality. One fish reported in Columbia River, 660 mi from release point in San Pablo Bay.

Chadwick, H. K. 1959. Studies of sturgeon and striped bass. California Dept of Fish and Game, Quarterly Progress Report, Sacramento, California.

Cherfas, B. I. 1956. Fish culture in natural waters. M. Jonanovic, transl. Moscow.

Cherr, G. N. 1984. Gamete morphology, physiology, and interaction in the white sturgeon, Acipenser transmontanus. Ph. D. Dissertation, Univ. Calif. Davis. 101pp. Diss. Abs. Int. B Sci. Eng. 45(4):1129.

Describes fine structure of white sturgeon egg envelope; physiological mechanisms of jelly release, and chemical composition of jelly; sperm morphology before and after the acrosome reaction; and characterization of the factor in the egg envelope that induces the acrosome reaction.

Cherr, G. N., and W. H. Clark, Jr. 1980. Sperm passage through the micropyles and egg activation in white sturgeon, Acipenser transmontanus. Am. Zool. 20(4): 876 (Abstract) Presented at Annual Meeting of American Society of Zoologists, December 27-30, 1980, Seattle Center, Seattle, Washington.

Spermatozoa congregate at micropyles, which are numerous (ave 10) and taper to size of sperm diameter. Numerous spermatozoa remain in canals at least 2 min postfertilization.

Cherr, G. N., and W. H. Clark, Jr. 1982. Fine structure of the envelope and micropyles in the eggs of the white sturgeon, Acipenser transmontanus Richardson. Develop., Growth and Different. 24(4):341-352.

Description of structure of egg envelope layers and micropyles, as prerequisite to functional studies of gamete activation. Structure differs from that of other sturgeon eggs. Micropyle structure relatively complex. Micropyles are numerous (contrast with singular micropyle in teleosts), hence potential for polyspermy. Envelope thicker than typical teleost eggs.

Cherr, G. N., and W. H. Clark, Jr. 1983. Artificial and natural activation of sperm from two acipenserid fish--a demonstration of species specificity. Abstr. AFS 113th Annual Meeting, Milwaukee, Wisc., Aug 16-20, 1983. p.98.

Acrosome reaction and inducers described.

Cherr, G. N., and W. H. Clark, Jr. 1983. Characterization of the natural inducers of the acrosome reaction in sturgeon sperm. J. Cell. Biol. 97(5, pt. 2):180 (Abstracts, 23rd Annual Meeting) See Cherr, 1984 (dissertation)

Cherr, G. N., and W. H. Clark, Jr. 1984. An acrosome reaction in sperm from white sturgeon, Acipenser transmontanus. J. Exper. Zool. 232(1):129-139.

Morphology of sperm, description of acrosome reaction and inducers.

Cherr, G. N., and W. H. Clark, Jr. 1984. Jelly release in the eggs of the white sturgeon, Acipenser transmontanus: An enzymatically mediated event. J. Exp. Zool. 230(1):145-150.

Biochemical description of jelly and physiology of release in freshwater.

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